

COMMODITY USAGE TRACKING AND REPLENISHMENT

APPARATUS AND METHOD

ABSTRACT

A commodity goods usage tracking and replenishment  
5 apparatus, in which a central server has a database of  
consumer profiles identifying consumers and commodity goods  
for usage tracking and replenishment. A messaging  
transceiver receives and transmits messages to the central  
server and is selectively operated by the central server  
10 and by the consumer. An evaluator periodically determines  
from the use information a remaining inventory amount of  
the commodity goods. Upon determining that a low inventory  
may exist, a re-order reminder message is communicated to  
the messaging transceiver of the consumer, who responds  
15 with a confirmation to purchase and receive the goods. A  
method of tracking and replenishing commodity goods is  
disclosed.